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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Christa M. Thorpe

Applicant : James R. Thiessen, et al. Confirmation No. 8550  
Application No. : 10/764,086  
Filed : January 23, 2004  
Title : SIX SPEED MOTORCYCLE TRANSMISSION  
Grp./Div. : 3681  
Examiner : Dirk Wright  
Docket No. : 51600/J214

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Commissioner:

Enclosed is an amendment to the above-identified application.

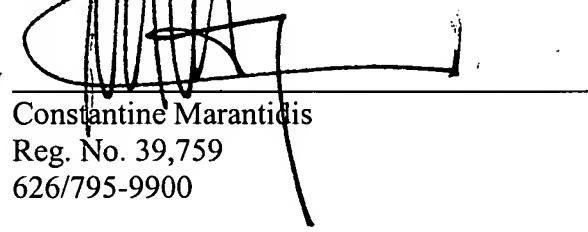
CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Paid For	Number Extra Claims	Small Entity Rate	Large Entity Rate	FEE
Total Claims Fee	56	*62	0	0 x \$25.00	x \$50.00	\$0.00
Independent Claims	7	** 7	0	0 x \$100.00	x \$200.00	\$0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims ***				\$180.00	\$360.00	\$0.00
TOTAL FILING FEE						\$0.00
NO ADDITIONAL FEE REQUIRED				IF NO FEE REQUIRED, INSERT "0"		\$0.00
LIST INDEPENDENT CLAIMS: 1, 10, 18, 41, 48, 55 and 56						
* IF HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR IS 20 OR LESS, WRITE "20" IN COLUMN 3						
** IF HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR IS 3 OR LESS, WRITE "3" IN COLUMN 3						
*** PAY THIS FEE ONLY WHEN MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS ARE ADDED FOR THE FIRST TIME						

Attached is our check for \$ to pay the fees calculated above.  
A Petition for Extension of Time and the required fee are enclosed.  
Other enclosures:

**Amendment Transmittal Letter**  
**Application No. 10/764,086**

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by or to give effect to this paper to Deposit Account No. 03-1728. Please show our docket number with any charge or credit to our Deposit Account. **A copy of this letter is enclosed.**

Respectfully submitted,  
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RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION

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Commissioner:

In response to the Office Action of November 7, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 16 of this paper.